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Garnett Thomas Eisele
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1923
Education: Washington U (MO) 1947 AB; Harvard 1950 LLB, 1951 LLM
Began Service: August 1970
Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Arkansas, United States Department of Justice (1953-1956); Legal Advisor, Governor Winthrop Rockefeller (AR), Office of the Governor, State of Arkansas (1966-1969); Delegate, Seventh Arkansas Constitutional Convention (1969-1970)

Legal Practice: Wootton, Land & Matthews (1951-1952); Owens, McHaney, Lofton & McHaney (1956-1960); Private Practice (1961-1969)

Military Service: United States Army (1943-1946); United States Naval Reserve (1952-1961)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; National Conference of Federal Trial Judges, American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; Arkansas Bar Association; Pulaski County Bar Association; World Association of Judges

Staff
Law Clerk **Edie Ervin** (501) 604-5160
Education: Arkansas (Little Rock) 1993 JD
Law Clerk **Stephanie Mazzanti** (501) 604-5160
Education: Arkansas 2006 JD
Courtroom Deputy/Secretary **Cherie Westbrook** (501) 604-5160
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Chambers of Magistrate Judge Henry L. Jones, Jr.

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Henry L. Jones, Jr.
Magistrate Judge

Education: Yale 1967 BA; Michigan 1972 JD
Began Service: December 22, 1978
Term Expires: December 29, 2010

Academic: Instructor in Trial Practice, University of Arkansas, Little Rock (1981)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable G. Thomas Eisele, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Arkansas (1973); Law Clerk The Honorable Gerald Heaney, United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit (1973-1974)

Government: Attorney, Washtenaw County Legal Aid Society (1970)

Legal Practice: Partner, Walker, Hollingsworth and Jones (and associate with predecessor firms) (1974-1978)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The Judge William R. Overton American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Arkansas Bar Association; Pulaski County Bar Association; W. Harold Flowers Law Society

Staff
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H. David Young
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: October 1, 1985

Staff
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Law Clerk **Doug Ward** (501) 604-5180
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John F. Forster, Jr.
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1942
Education: North Texas State 1965 BA; Arkansas 1969 JD
Began Service: March 14, 1986
Term Expires: March 13, 2010

Affiliation: Adjunct Faculty, Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law, The University of Memphis; Adjunct Faculty, University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Academic: Adjunct Faculty, University of Arkansas, Little Rock (1973); Adjunct Faculty, University of Memphis School of Law (1987)

Government: Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, Sixth Judicial District, State of Arkansas (1972); Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Arkansas, United States Department of Justice (1972-1976); Special Commissioner, Arkansas Workers' Compensation Commission (1979)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1969-1972); Private Practice (1978-1986)

Current Memberships: American Board of Criminal Lawyers; The Judge William R. Overton American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Arkansas Bar Association; Memphis Bar Association; Pulaski County Bar Association

Staff
Career Law Clerk **William G. Campbell** (501) 604-5191
Education: Belhaven 1982 BA; Vanderbilt 1987 JD
Career Law Clerk **Alice Watts** (501) 604-5192
Education: North Texas 1977 BA;
East Texas State 1978 MS;
Arkansas (Little Rock) 1984 JD
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J. Thomas Ray
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1951
Education: LSU 1973 BS; Tulane 1976 JD
Began Service: June 28, 2000
Term Expires: June 27, 2008

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable G. Thomas Eisele, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Arkansas (1976-1978)

Legal Practice: Partner, Shults & Ray, LLP (1978-2000)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The Judge William R. Overton American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Arkansas Bar Association; Arkansas Bar Foundation, Arkansas Bar Association; Pulaski County Bar Association

Staff
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Chambers of Magistrate Judge Beth Deere

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Beth Deere
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: January 8, 2007
Term Expires: January 8, 2015

Staff
Law Clerk **Josh King** (501) 604-5110
Began Service: 2007
Law Clerk **Debra W. Williams** (501) 604-5114
Began Service: 2007
Courtroom Deputy **Suzi Flippen** (501) 604-5114

Chambers of Magistrate Judge (recalled) Jerry W. Cavaneau

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Jerry W. Cavaneau
Magistrate Judge (recalled)

Began Service: January 7, 1991

Staff
Career Law Clerk **Suzanne Sims** (501) 604-5200
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Number of Judgeships: 3

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Audrey R. Evans
Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1945
Education: Texas 1967 BA; Arkansas 1983 JD
Began Service: February 19, 2002
Term Expires: February 2016

Academic: Adjunct Professor, University of Arkansas at Little Rock (1999)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable G. Thomas Eisele, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Arkansas (1983-1985)

Government: Law Examiner, Arkansas State Board of Law Examiners (1996-2001)

Legal Practice: Wright, Lindsey & Jennings, LLP (1985-1990); Partner, Lax, Vaughn, Evans & Fortson, PA (1991-2001)

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; American Bar Association; American College of Bankruptcy; Arkansas Association of Women Lawyers; Arkansas Bar Association; Debtor-Creditor Bar Association of Central Arkansas; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Pulaski County Bar Association

Staff
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Term Expires: September 30, 2007
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Education: Arkansas Baptist 1999 BA;
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Education: Central Arkansas 1981 BBA